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For (Title):

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By (Inventors):

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	This patent application is assigned to SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION .
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\Box	Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

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Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence -- This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _ _, filed

Priority of foreign application No. <u>0013234.0</u> filed <u>May 31, 2000</u> in <u>United Kingdom</u> is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119). \boxtimes

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.

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